Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Thursday 06 Apr 2023 until 23:59 on Friday 07 Apr 2023

Forecast Issued on Thursday 06 Apr 2023 at 01:34

Confidence: High for the general themes, however there is some uncertainty in the clearance time of the rain for Wednesday night and any organised showers on Thursday. High confidence for turning more settled into the weekend.

Headline for Thursday 06 Apr 2023: A brighter day with sunny intervals and some heavy showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 06 Apr 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Medium Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms Low Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Light rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability					
30%	50%	50%	50%	10%	<05%

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Weather: A rather cloudy start, with drizzle possible in the early morning. Cloud breaking with some sunny spells and showers developing from mid-morning, some of these heavy with the risk of thunder. Turning drier with clearer skies into the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 0% during early hours increasing to 60% by mid-morning, becoming 90% through the late afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Cloud 300-400m during the morning, breaking up and rising to 500-600m by mid-morning. During the afternoon, cloud generally to or just above the summit, however in any showers cloud bases could drop below 600m.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	19/25 W	17/24 W	19/27 W	20/29 NW	18/24 NW	13/19 NW	11/16 NW
300	10/22 W	11/21 W	13/26 W	13/26 NW	9/19 NW	6/15 W	5/12 W
Valley	9/22 W	10/22 W	13/26 W	13/26 NW	9/19 NW	6/15 W	5/12 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	5/0	4/-0	5/0	5/-0	4/-1	3/-2	2/-2
300	7/4	7/4	8/5	8/4	7/4	4/2	3/1
Valley	8/5	8/5	9/6	9/6	7/5	5/3	4/2
Freezing Level*	1300m	1100m	1100m	1100m	1000m	1000m	900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Thundery showers could bring the risk of sudden deteriorations at short notice, with a drop in visibility in any heavy downpours and strong gusty winds. There is also the low risk of showers containing hail.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
02:00 on Thu 06 Apr 2023	6.6mm	6.6mm	6.8mm

Forecast for Friday 07 Apr 2023

Weather: Any early valley mist or fog quickly clearing. A dry day to follow with long sunny spells and just patchy fair weather cloud.

Maximum wind: North-westerly 15-20 mph, gusting 25 mph during the early hours, easing to northerly 5 mph gusting 10 mph by mid-morning.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 100%

Low cloud and visibility: Any valley mist or fog quickly clearing. Otherwise very good or excellent visibility.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 4 Celsius rising to plus 13 Celsius by the afternoon
At 600m: 0 Celsius rising to plus 8 Celsius by the afternoon.
Freezing level: Freezing level around 600 m at first but rising above the summits early in the morning.

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